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## NAZIS ANNOUNCE 20,000 FRENCH PRISONERS

Through the Editor's Spectacles  
By GEORGE

Some time ago this column was based upon the scarcity of highly trained mechanics and the retarding influence of the "bottleneck" upon the development program. The position and the influence of the "white collar" ambitions were not to discourage training work with the hands and the development of highly skilled workmen to produce sufficient quantity of tools and machines to meet severe and exacting specifications, are the keys to mass production and other mechanical equipment which is necessary to the conduct of modern warfare. This is what mechanics with their hands but not enough of their brains in which men are overalls have not been able to do. The social standing of the mechanic is not equal to that of the professional or the "white collar class."

But we will get over this in a pretty quick time. We are beginning to realize how important is the skill of hand and mind and to think of defense as a means of economic recovery in the use of good and honest labor instead of so many classes of untrained men and women who are professional or semi-professional in their positions, we are going to insist upon technical training in mechanical schools to the men and women of our country to use their hands and their brains in the production of the tools and commodities which serve to support our civilization.

Technical training, the key which gives people the ability to produce, is the emphasis it deserves. It is the answer, this is the answer, to the great economic and political "sharing the wealth" doctrine under which the economic and social structure have been foisted upon the country. The point is reserved for later consideration. The point is that the national emergency is not to be realized, whether admitted or not, that the country's security rests upon an economy of scarcity upon one of plenty, and that production at top speed is absolutely necessary to insure the means of production. This means the development of manual skills and mental skills.

Technical educational courses are certainly undergoing a process of adjustment to meet the needs of mechanically trained students to the production of creative work and administrative duties. It will require far more than the National Youth Administration is performing in the training of boys and girls in mechanical work. Its program is on Page Two.

### Practice Blitzkrieg



Members of 115 observation squadron of California National guard hold a private blitzkrieg practice near Los Angeles to acquaint ground crews with proper anti-aircraft defense and surprise-attack elements. In the photo, a machine gun nest goes into action against a low-flying attacker.

### City Audit Report Heard by Comm'n

The Cisco city commission last night heard the report of D. P. McAlpine, auditor engaged for the audit of the municipal books, who went into detail into the city accounts. He reported accounts in good condition.

### FDR Approves "Stop Hitler Now" Movement

WASHINGTON, June 12 (AP)—Warmly endorsing an organized "stop Hitler now" movement, President Roosevelt worked to rush all possible military aid to the allies while congress continued its rapid-fire program, now grown to \$5,027,619,622. The chief executive announced to a press conference that the nation's last of military supplies were being combed to see what might be spared for the beleaguered French and British. At the same time, the senate, by a 67 to 18 vote, approved legislation to permit the government to dispose of surplus World War guns in a way which will make them available to the allied armies.

### Report Says Revolt Flares In Ethiopia

NEW YORK, June 12 (AP)—A British radio report heard by CBS last night said reports had been received in London of a revolt in Italian-occupied Ethiopia and the raising of the imperial Aksumite standard by an Aksumite.

### CAR ACCIDENT IS FATAL TO LUBBOCK MAN

Second Man Only Slightly Hurt as Auto Takes to Ditch

R. E. Hardburger, 61, of Lubbock, died in a local sanitarium Tuesday of injuries sustained in an automobile accident which occurred four miles east of Baird Monday afternoon. Death occurred at 2:15.

J. H. Hardburger, 51, also of Lubbock, was only slightly injured when the car in which the pair were riding swerved into a ditch to avoid a collision. He is undergoing treatment at the hospital.

The body of the dead man was prepared for burial at Green Funeral home and sent to Lubbock this morning.

### Evangelist and Singer Lions Guests

An accordion number and a vocal solo by A. V. Bradley and a short talk by the Rev. Graves Darbey, singer and evangelist for the meeting at the East Side Baptist church, formed the program for the Cisco Lions club luncheon today noon. O. L. Stamey presented it. The Rev. Russell Dennis, pastor of the church, introduced the visitors.

William Stafford of Graham was introduced as a guest of Charles J. Kleiner and D. G. Streeter who introduced as a guest of Charles Sandler.

### Sears and Roebuck Store Prepared

Installation of partitions and fixtures in the building adjoining the Cisco State bank building was started today in preparation for the location of a Sears and Roebuck catalogue order house in Cisco. The store, which will carry a large display of Sears and Roebuck merchandise, will open on July 5, according to present plans.

### Morton Valley Boys Buy Good Jerseys

Bobby Eugene and Billy Joe, sons of J. R. Moore of Morton Valley have recently bought a young Jersey bull and a heifer from Shelton brothers of Brownwood. The two animals, from outstanding parentage, will be used by the two boys as a foundation herd in connection with their 4-H club work and for breeding service in the community.

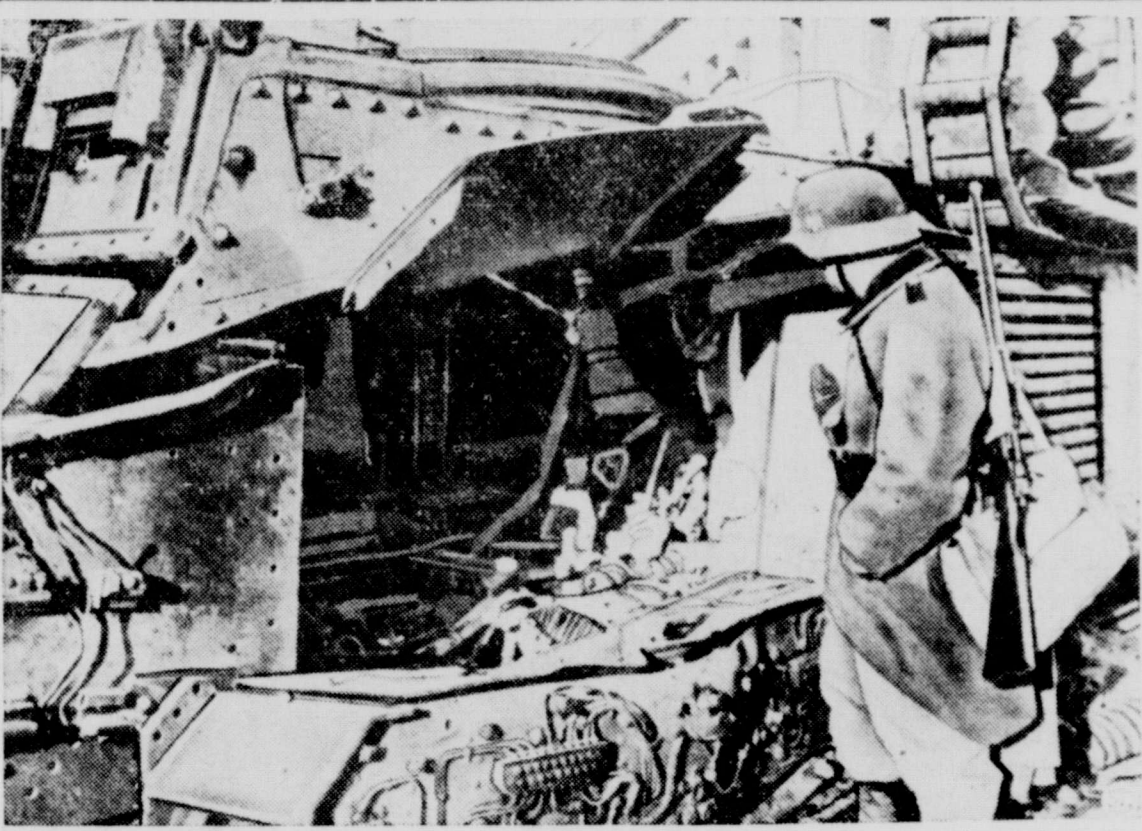
The bull, Jolly Peggy's Prince, was sired by Progress Ming Toy Owl, the Superior sire owned by Shelton brothers that has sired the caught-averaging more than 500 pounds of butterfat. His dam produced 430 pounds of butterfat in 365 days at the age of two years and seven months.

### Sister of L. E. Fleming Succumbs

Death of Mrs. Eunice Apling, about 45, sister of L. E. Fleming of Cisco, occurred this afternoon at a Ranger hospital. Funeral arrangements were not announced, but they were expected to be set for tomorrow.

No children survive. Other brothers and sisters are Mrs. Frank Ingram of Putnam, Ed Fleming of Littlefield and John Fleming of Scranton.

### French Tank Mangled by Dive Bomber



The German soldier need have no fear of this French tank, its treads askew, a gaping hole in its side. Nazi-censored caption states it came out second best in battle with one of Hitler's vaunted dive bombers. French claim to have reversed situation on Somme front, destroying hundreds of nazi tanks with cannon-firing planes.

### Large Crowd Sees Opening Boxing Rounds

(By Softball Reporter) Boy, oh boy, did we have fun last night? I say we did. A nice crowd of fans saw the opening of boxing for the summer in connection with the opening of the second division of soft ball play. It was certainly worth the money to see those kids battle it out. Every precaution, has been taken to insure safety for those contestants. The ring is exceptionally nice and padded, the ropes are wrapped, and large 12-ounce gloves are used to insure safety. We were a little slow last night, due to the wait on Dr. Clark, who was unavoidably detained. The fights just can't be started without a doctor present for the boxers' protection. Dr. Clark has been very nice in examining each boy, and will be on hand at ring-side to watch each boy.

We do not intend to make fighters out of these boys, or do we want them to become punch-drunk, as is sometimes the case. This is purely for fun, with experience as a teacher. All of these boys have seldom, if ever, been in the ring. They learn to defend themselves and to give or take as they are able. It is quite a job for a kid to climb in there for the first time. They did last night and gave us a good show.

All the bouts last night were on decision. Paul Moseley took Charles Eudy into camp. Charles was hit too hard in the first round, but came back and up several times to show how game he is. Paul shows lots of class and punching ability.

In the close second fight Howard Mayhew won over Bob Bailey. This was probably the best and closest bout. Both boys meant business.

The third fight was not fought and Bob Latson had a forfeit. The fourth fight was a slugfest, with Rudolph Dolgener changing Edgar Taylor's ideas on staying in the fight. Those boys started fast and both gave almost completely out.

The negro bout was a riot. The little boy can fairly go to town. He danced, jumped, and poked the larger boy all over the ring. It is planned to match him with a boy from Eastland his size soon.

The ring was removed in about 20 minutes and the ball game began between Conoco and Putnam. Smitty's boys took the game, 10-9, after a very good game. Joe McIntosh said he would get Smitty next time. He did not have the Green boys last night and alibied them. Smitty's boys out-hit them, 11-9, and really deserved the game, although too many errors.

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### ROME BLACKS OUT AT FIRST AIR ALARM

ROME, June 12 (AP)—This ancient capital experienced its first air raid alarm early today and was blacked out completely. Whether enemy planes actually visited the city was not determined.

Italy, so newly joined as Germany's active partner in the war against Britain and France, moved secretly in her belligerency.

The nation still awaited the first Italian war communique, first forecast for 10 p. m. last night, but delayed.

British reports told of seven Italian air raids on Malta; a Geneva dispatch said Crown Prince Umberto planned to throw his Italian shock troops against the French in the southern half of the maritime Alps; and meager advices from the Swiss telephonic agency reported attack on French Tunisia and Corsica.

British planes raided Italian Libya and Eritrea, in east Africa, bombing air bases; and South African planes raided Italian Moyale, near British African Kenya colony.

### Sheep and Goat Day Planned for Eastland County

Tentative plans for a sheep and goat day to be held in Eastland county are being made by the officers of the County Sheep and Goat Raisers association, according to County Agent Elmo V. Cook, who is secretary of the association. The plans include a program similar to the goat day which was held at the Terrell ranch on August 25 of last year, which was attended by more than 250 sheep and goat raisers.

The program will include talks and demonstrations by specialists and successful sheep and goat raisers of the county.

President of the county sheep and goat raisers' association is Dr. R. H. Hodges of Ranger, and vice president is G. E. Henry of Rising Star.

### Services For J. A. Robertson Held Today

Funeral services were to be conducted this afternoon at 3:30 for J. A. Robertson, 62, who died in the St. John's hospital in San Angelo Tuesday morning at 9:30, following a lengthy illness.

The services were to be held at the First Baptist church, employing Masonic rites. Dr. E. S. James, formerly of the Cisco church, was to officiate.

Active pall bearers were to be G. C. Rosenthal, Fred Grist, John T. Elliott, F. E. Shepard, Haywood Cabaness and R. W. Smith, Jr. Neil Lane Funeral home was in charge of arrangements.

At the time of his death, Mr. Robertson was a barber in McCamey. His family made their home here.

Mr. Robertson was born in Weatherford January 9, 1878, and on December 8, 1911, was married to Miss Clara Harwell of Paducah. To this union were born six children, four boys and two girls.

The children are J. W. (Buster), Jeffie Jean and J. J., of Cisco; L. A. Robertson of Odessa; Mrs. H. B. Hensley of Midland, and J. L. Robertson of McCamey. Mrs. Robertson also survives.

### East Baptist Revival Continues to Grow

Services at the East Cisco Baptist church are increasing in attendance and spiritual fervor according to reports from the Rev. Russell Dennis, pastor.

Graves Darby, Waco evangelist, and A. V. Bradley of Brownwood, accordionist, are conducting the meeting.

### SAY TROOPS NOW 12 MILES FROM PARIS

Assert Marne and Seine Crossed On Flanks of Capital

BERLIN, June 12 (AP)—The German high command announced tonight that French troops surrounded at St. Valery, on the English channel, had capitulated and that more than 20,000 prisoners had been taken.

The material taken thus far was described as "incalculable." The Germans further claimed that Reims and Rouen had been captured, that the rivers Seine and Marne had been crossed on two flanks of Paris and that German troops stand on the Oise river 12 1/2 miles northwest of Paris.

### FRENCH TAKE STAND ON MARNE

PARIS, June 12 (AP)—The creeping battle of France edged closer to within sight and hearing of suburban Parisians today as Frenchmen, for the second time in a generation, took their stand along the historic Marne, east of the city.

Residents in the outer parts of the city reported hearing the roar of the night battle and seeing the gun flashes on the northwestern horizon.

Although the Germans were trying to encircle the city, communications by highway and wire still were open to the nerve center where the government had moved in central France.

Most people who had transportation already had left the one-time capital of the republic of France. As many as 50 persons crowded about available taxicabs, and it was almost impossible to board one of the infrequent subway trains.

Automobiles still were leaving the city, but many were without gasoline. Others here expected train service to be restored that would enable them to leave.

The city was ominously quiet as the battle rolled closer. The outskirts of the city were bombed several times yesterday, but the center of the city went untouched.

Without newspapers, Paris was filled with fantastic rumors about Soviet Russia and America.

Only one newspaper was printed in Paris yesterday and it was American—the Paris edition of the Herald Tribune. The official government newspaper, now printed in the south, was expected to be distributed here, however, to relieve the anxiety for news.

Not a light burned in the streets, but the scarcity of automobiles made light unnecessary.

Electricity, water and gas still were available, however. A turn in the weather, which up to now has favored the nazi blitzkrieg of planes and tanks, may aid the defenders of Paris. It was noticeably cooler and more cloudy this morning.

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## Chemistry and Freedom

In the test tubes of the chemists a new independence is being created for the United States. It is independence of foreign sources for certain basic materials.

As scientists bend to their tasks of research, each day brings us closer to the time when we shall no longer have to speak of "vital interests" in the Far East or elsewhere which might have to be defended by force to keep necessary raw materials coming in.

Production has actually begun on a new synthetic "rubber" made entirely of domestic

materials, and by fall a new B. F. Goodrich Co. plant will be producing several tons of Ameripol each day. The basic source is petroleum.

BUNA and Thiokol are already being produced as partial substitutes for rubber. While production of all the various synthetic rubbers last year totaled only 1700 tons against 592,000 tons of natural rubber, a start has been made, and there is room for assurance that in a desperate emergency production of these "ersatzes" could be stepped up enough to provide absolutely essential rubber products.

This development of chemistry may literally change the world. In the past, peoples fought each other for sources of raw materials. In the future, they may all be producing within themselves all vitally necessary raw materials, thus easing the pressure for access to the sources of the natural products. The Rayons and Nylons mean independence of foreign silk. The Ameripols, Bunas, and Thiakols may mean independence of foreign rubber.

There is not now a single vitally important chemical that the United States cannot produce. That was not true 25 years ago when war swept Europe and the country found itself cut off from supplies of dyes and drugs.

The plastics and resins are only beginning to show what they can do, and already airplane fuselages and wings are being "moulded" from such materials. A whole new world is flowering from those test tubes.

With it could come an end to the grasping competitive rush for raw materials which has so often deluged the world with blood. But here again, man will have to show more intelligence than he has revealed thus far if he is to take advantage of this glorious opportunity.

## Perrin Finds Railroad Loss Is Serious

PERRIN, June 12.—The people of this once thriving west Texas community are in mourning. The occasion for their mourning is not the demise of some leading citizen or other beloved person, but the loss some months ago of

their railroad. Now that it is gone many in Perrin are frank to admit its loss can be largely attributed to their own lack of appreciation of its value to the town. Along with the railroad went school district, municipal and other taxes and a payroll highly important to a town of this size, even though it might not have been considered much of a factor to a larger city. Throughout Perrin's time this payroll had meant much to local business firms, professional men and others. All of these losses combine to

transform Perrin from a bustling, bustling plains country business center, which it was while the Gulf, Texas & Western railroad was operating, into a slowly dwindling community, now threatened with being added to the growing list of Texas "ghost cities," a fate against which local citizens are striving valiantly. What has happened to Perrin was not contemplated when the Texas railroad commission authorized discontinuance of service by the G. T. & W. railroad. However, when officials of the line presented indisputable proof that the business actually taken in by the railroad failed by a wide margin to "pay its operating expenses, there was nothing left to do.

**Need Not Have Happened**  
Perrin need not have been in its present dilemma. Time was when the railroad operated two freight and two passenger trains between Mineral Wells and Jacksboro and Perrin. There was a local agent, two section foremen and ten section laborers, whose wages boosted Perrin's payroll by \$12,000 annually.

But with the fine paved highways came the busses and the citizens began to refer to the G. T. & W. as "two streaks of rust." Others more thoughtful called the attention of their neighbors to the fact that more than a dozen families earned their livelihood by working for the railroad and that the taxes it paid were a factor in local business. The latter, who felt pride that Perrin had a railroad connection with the outside world, urged their friends to ship more of their products and receive more of their goods by rail.

But the lure of the new type of public transport was too great, with the result that, as the business of the highway carriers increased, that of the railroad dwindled, finally being reduced to the point where the line's continued operation was impossible. The last train was operated from Perrin last December 26, after which crews began the work of dismantling the "two streaks of rust." The railroad agent and section laborers, who had spent their paychecks twice monthly with Perrin business houses, soon went into competition with other citizens.

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## RED RYDER



## For State Senate



GEORGE A. DAVISSON, JR.

## Davisson Is Candidate For Texas Senate

George A. Davisson, Jr., Abilene attorney, today announced his candidacy for state senator from the 24th senatorial district of Texas.

Davisson, formerly of Eastland, Texas, served as representative from Eastland county in the 44th and 45th legislatures. As a member of the legislature he became well known as author of the Unemployment Compensation act and the liberal Old Age Pension bill.

In his announcement, Davisson stated that if elected he would sponsor legislation abolishing useless state boards and offices and would seek to develop a concentrated state administration to eliminate unnecessary public expenses. He stated that he is opposed to federal control of Texas oil production and pledged his services toward abolishing discriminatory freight rates. He voiced his approval of increasing the truck load limit.

Davisson is active in the Exchange club and other civic organizations. He is a graduate of the University of Texas law school, vice president of the Texas State Council, a member of the Knights of Pythias, and is a United States Reserve officer.

The 24th senatorial district includes the counties of Callahan, Eastland, Fisher, Haskell, Jones, Mitchell, Nolan, Scurry, Shackelford, Stephens, Taylor and Throckmorton.

Since 1291, every able bodied Swiss man has been liable for military service from voting age to death.

## Safety Shorts

### From Oil Belt Safety Council

**TRAFFIC TINTYPES**—from the Oil Belt Safety Council.

The driver who brags to his family at night that he fixed a ticket for running a light.

Teaches his children to disrespect for the law—Smart alecs like this. Need a poke in the jaw!

**PLAY BALL!**

As the big leagues swing into action, thousands of youngsters imitate the exploits of their favorite baseball stars. The crack of a bat and the smack of a ball in a mitt echo from countless sandlot games.

Baseball not only is the great American pastime, but it's a real boys' game. Baseball is so much a part of every boy's life that parents should encourage their children to play it for exercise.

## Nazis Announce--

(Continued from Page One) general battle of the "greatest violence" of the whole struggle for France, a heavy tank attack by the Germans in the valleys of the Velse and Ardre, thundered on. It is designed to cut off Reims from the east and southwest.

Fresh German divisions were brought into the battle in the region of Champagne, on the east, as fast as the French mowed them down. The Nazi loss in life was tremendous.

**"Dearl Disputed"**  
Bitter fighting raged on the whole course of the river Reithourne, south of the Aisne and Reithal, and the French reported the nazis crossings there had been "dearly disputed."

South of the Attygen French counterattacks were said to have inflicted "serious losses" and all German "serious losses" and all German "serious losses" were pronounced repulsed.

The disclosure that the main French forces of the center had fallen back to an old battlefield was made in the high command's communique reporting that nazis divisions advancing on the Ourcq had "found only rear guards before them."

The greatest part of our divisions," it was added, "received orders to transfer resistance south of the Marne."

This placed the great defensive effort—and the main offensive—about 40 miles from Paris. Fertemilou and Fere-en-Tardeois lie about 20 miles apart on a line running east and west.

In 1914, the invading Germans pushed south of the Marne to a maximum depth of about 20 miles, on a front about 70 miles long, before they were halted at last.

## Insects Should Be Controlled Says County Agent

"An infestation of insects can cause the loss of a whole year's work in a few days, especially on tender fruits and vegetables," Elmo V. Cook, county agent, has been reminding farmers. He offers the following information on control of a few insects that will likely appear within the next few weeks:

**Blister beetles on tomatoes:** Blister beetles can be killed by dusting with aldero cryolite or a mixture of one part sodium flouride and four parts of flour. Those who cannot obtain these insecticides should report to the county agent for further information.

**Harlequin cabbage and cabbage worms:** These and most other cabbage insects can be killed by dusting with rotenone-sulphur dust. Do not use arsenicals on cabbage.

**Lice and honey dew on water-melons:** Lice cause honey dew on water-melons and other plants. If nothing is done until there is a general infestation it is generally too late. Control measures should be taken as soon as the first signs appear and the water melon patch should be watched close for signs of honey dew.

Spray the entire infested plant, including both sides of the leaves, with a mixture of one ounce of black lead 40, one fourth pound of laundry soap, and six gallons of water. One person should hold the vines off the ground while another does the spraying, being sure to wet both sides of the leaves.

If dusting is preferred, make a dust by using one ounce of black lead 40 and six ounces of lime. See that the dust makes a light coverage on both sides of the leaves.

**Cucumber beetles:** Plants infested with cucumber beetles should be dusted with aldero cryolite. The dust should be applied when the air is still, putting the material

## PARENT EDUCATION

The Parent Education Society holds its regular monthly meeting at the Nursery school, Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 P. M., in the Church of God building. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The first U. S. census showed a population of 4,000,000—considerably less than the present population of New York City.

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## Heading for the White House?



Frank E. Gannett



Caroline Werner Gannett

## The GANNETTS of NEW YORK

This is the third of a series presenting the republican families that may occupy the White House after next January. Democratic presidential possibilities and their wives will be carried later.

A TRIP through Europe and President Roosevelt's plan to "pick" the Supreme Court put Rochester, N. Y., publisher Frank E. Gannett in the republican presidential race. Shocked at loss of freedom abroad, Gannett returned to America convinced constitutional democracy faced a fight for life.

Simultaneously, he ran smack into the court battle. Almost overnight he organized the National Committee to Uphold Constitutional Government. It has kept him in politics consistently since.

Gannett thinks the United States government is the world's biggest business, says "it's high time we placed it under the direction of a business man." At 63, Gannett, owner of 19 newspapers all in the black, is precisely that. Since 9, he has been pulling up by the bootstraps.

Born on a farm near Bristol, N. Y., of poor parents, he went to work early, peddling papers, gathering junk, working in a Boiler, N. Y., bar where he learned to hate liquor for life. With a scholarship and \$80 in savings he entered Cornell, came out in 1898 with a degree and \$1000 savings.

With the exception of one year in Philippines as secretary to Taft commission, he has been newspapering.

Gannett married Caroline Werner, daughter of late Justice William E. Werner of New York State Court of Appeals in 1920. They have two children, Sally, 16, Dixon, 10. The publisher golfs, swims, is an ardent flyer. He neither drinks nor smokes. Mrs. Gannett travels with him, can make a good speech if she likes. But she tried to dissuade him from his candidacy.

NEXT: The Hoovers.



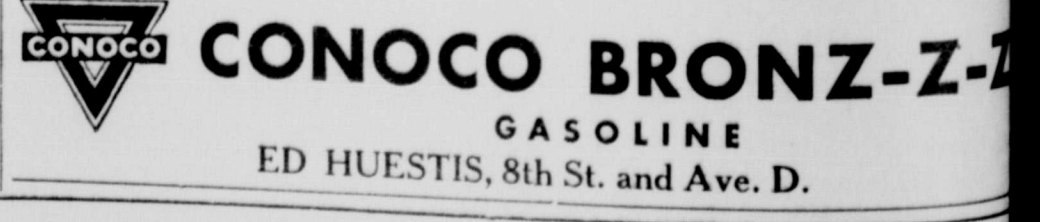
## HENRY DEAR IS EATING CROW since I got him a MILE-DIAL...FREE

"Just like a man—with his superior air—he'd keep telling me any gasoline is the same as any other. But I argued there couldn't be much to lose, as long as they give you the Conoco Mile-Dial perfectly free.

"They certainly wouldn't tease you to take a thing that strictly counts you the mileage from their own gasoline, unless they're awfully sure of themselves. So I steered to the first Conoco station and in half a second the Mile-Dial was on the dash. Looks smart. Free, too.

"The total mileage on your speedometer goes on the Mile-Dial, so you know the start of your test. And you know the amount of your gasoline, by starting with just a full tank of Bronz-z-z. Then going along buying your 10 gallons more, or maybe 8, or 15 let's say, your Mile-Dial keeps count.

"Let's look. I'm up to 55 gallons. And... wait a second... it's 928 miles since starting this test of Conoco Bronz-z-z. Now watch this



flip of the Mile-Dial. There!—it says better than 17 1/2 miles from a gallon of Bronz-z-z, was a car this big. And do I hear any pooh-pooh?

"Even Henry won't say it's just luck any more, after all the different driving tests he kept doing with this Mile-Dial... Luck!

"It's just bad luck using mixed breeds of gasoline when Conoco Bronz-z-z is game to let you dial its true mileage. A smaller car than yours might even beat 17 1/2.

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## SERIAL STORY

### AN EYE FOR A GAL

BY HARRY HARRISON KROLL

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**CAST OF CHARACTERS**  
**ROSSY McAfee**—went to college to play baseball, get an education, and settle a feud.  
**JUDY TOLLIVER**—daughter of Lincoln College's president.  
**HANNAH SHRIDER**—hillbilly girl who followed Rossy to college.

**YESTERDAY:** Hannah argues with Rossy, tries to convince him that Steve is right. It was Steve who spied on the Tollivers. Rossy leaves her, knowing that she came home to see Steve. He rushes to town, asks Judge Leverage about the land.

**CHAPTER VIII**  
**OLD Judge Leverage** blinked at Rossy McAfee. The ancient man rose and switched on the light. There was a TVA power line in Hell'n-Damnation now, lighting the world. He groped in an old secretary and came forth with a packet of yellowed papers. He mumbled, "Seems like I made copies of all the papers, on account your pappy was a friend of mine, and I kind of had some funny notions about that dead myself." He sat down at the table again and with shaky hands untied the pack. He looked through some of them while Rossy looked

## Political Announcements

The Cisco Daily Press is authorized to announce the following as candidates for the offices under which their names appear, subject to the action of the voters in the democratic primaries of 1940.

**For Congress,**  
17th District of Texas:  
OTIS (Oat) MILLER, Anson, Texas.  
C. L. (Clyde) GARRETT, (Re-Election)  
THOMAS L. BLANTON  
SAM RUSSELL

**For the State Legislature,**  
107th District:  
OMAR BURKETT (Re-election)

**For State Senate, Dist 24—**  
JOHN LEE SMITH, Throckmorton County

**For Legislature 106th District—**  
(Eastland County)  
J. M. WILLIAMSON

**For County Tax Assessor-Collector**  
CLYDE S. KARKALITS

**For County Clerk—**  
R. V. (Rip) GALLOWAY  
WALTER GRAY

**For Sheriff—**  
LOSS WOODS (Re-election)  
WALTER EVANS  
W. J. (Pete) PETERS

**For County Judge—**  
W. S. ADAMSON (Re-election)  
R. L. RUST  
C. S. ELDRIDGE

**For County Treasurer—**  
GARLAND BRANTON (Second Term)

**For District Clerk—**  
JOHN WHITE (For Second Term)

**For Criminal District Attorney—**  
EARL CONNER, JR.

**For County Comm'r, Precinct No. 4**  
ARCH BINT (Re-election)  
L. H. QUALLS  
W. L. (Roy) PIPPEN  
JOE DONAWAY

**For Constable, Precinct 6:**  
R. L. (Tub) WILSON  
J. J. HONEA (Re-election, second term)

**For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 6:**  
HENRY S. STUBBLEFIELD  
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ested parties to appraise the damages. Wellst, I thought I had it all hog-tied and ready for settlement when the next time them Tollivers appeared they was hell-bent on lawing and killing, too. I told your paw that. That was going on toward July, I recollect.

"The next thing your paw done was to come in and ast me to fix up these here papers. So the land the Tollivers mount of laid claim to become Steve's maw's—she was the boy's garden — and right after that, inside a week, I reckon, your pappy was killed in the game, and then Steve he put in his claim, and he had the papers, and all I could do was what I done—I told your mammy the land wasn't her'n, nor your'n, but the Hogg's. And that's the way hit's been from that good day on."

Rossy McAfee stared at the simple, honest old face.

"Uncle Jesse, just suppose my father had done that to keep from having to pay an unreasonable amount of damages in case of a law suit?"

"Well?"

"When he was dead, would not Steve Hogg's case still hold in court?"

"It would."

Rossy made to rise. "Thankee, Uncle Jesse. I think I got what I wanted to know."

"Come and see me when ye air home again, Rossy."

"Thanks, I will, Judge."

**ROSSY** went out and stood in the night. He hadn't known there was sweat on his face until the cold wind touched his brow. It came to him with terrific completeness that his father had really transferred the property to protect himself, knowing by that dodge he could outplay the grasping Tollivers. They would gnash their teeth in defeat and take a reasonable settlement. Later, Rossy's father planned to take

back the land. That had all been worked out between him and the Hogg's, at that time close to the family.

But no one could foresee the events of the Fourth of July, and after that, all Steve would have to do was make his claim and possess the property.

"That's what he's done! Now he thinks because I'm in college I'm going to learn too much, get too smart, and he has to timber off the stuff and sell it to clean up while he can. Afterward, in case I got it back, what could I do about it, anyhow? The dirty scoundrel! The low-down thief!"

He moved off swiftly again, and when back up the mountain, he came to the place where, after the game that day, he had knelt in

of voices somewhere down the path from him. He knew Hannah's very well. It was one of those penetrating voices that carry a long way, and when pitched in anger go even farther. The other voice was lower, a man's. It took Rossy some while to conclude it was Steve Hogg's. Moving closer, he paused and listened.

"Do I have to kill a man, after all? Not ary Tolliver, but one of my own kin—Steve Hogg? Looks to me like I'm looking for the wrong eye and tooth. Not in the head of my enemy, but in my kinfolks!"

Abruptly he started away, not toward home, but toward the cabin where Steve Hogg lived.

**ROSSY** had not gone far before he was stopped by the sound

"Well, all I got to say, Steve, is you'd better look out for Rossy McAfee! The first thing you know he's going to find something, and then it's going to be trouble!"

"Yes, and you'd better be looking out for him, too! How come you got to go back to Lincoln?"

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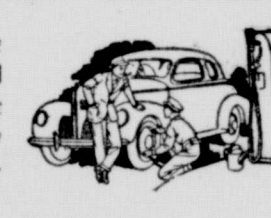


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Circle Three With Mrs. Weddington

Circle Three of the First Presbyterian auxiliary met Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. R. F. Weddington.

During the social hour, refreshments were served to Mmes. Frank Bond, Guy Brogdon, J. E. Caffrey, W. L. Jones, W. P. Lee, Elizabeth McCracken, J. G. Rupe, J. J. Tableman, W. W. Wallace, P. R. Warwick, Leith Morris, Gary L. Smith, Misses Martha Jo Pass, Theresa Weddington and the hostess, Mrs. Weddington.

Elizabeth Truly With Mrs. Bint

Mrs. Arch Bint was hostess Tuesday afternoon to the Elizabeth Truly circle of the First Baptist Women's Missionary society when it met in her home.

The lesson was taught by Mrs. J. R. Burnett, and refreshments were served to Mmes. C. S. Surles, T. E. House, Jay Warren, W. I. Ghormley, Gayle Moore, C. A. Williams, Joe Britain, J. R. Burnett, Roy Farley, Miss Miriam Ghormley and the hostess, Mrs. Arch Bint.

The Notebook

Saturday
The Band Parents club will sponsor a bake sale at Norvell and Miller, beginning at 8 a. m. Orders for delivery may be placed by phoning 202 or 86.

The Dead Sea is 47 miles long.

Personals

Miss Lucie Kirk of San Antonio is the guest of Mrs. J. G. Jones, Sr.

Miss Hope Starr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Starr, accompanied her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Stamey, and daughter, Mary Lou, of Wichita Falls on a two weeks' automobile trip, during which they will visit in Albuquerque, Carlsbad, Corpus Christi, Kingsville and San Antonio.

Mrs. G. E. Bedford of Wichita Falls is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Lewis Starr.

Mrs. Frank Parish of Graham is visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. F. C. leVeaux.

Mrs. Jack Winston and children, Billy Jack and Mary Ann, left today for their home in Corpus Christi after visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Louella Howell of Dallas is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. E. Jones.

IN HOUSE PARTY

Miss Zona Miller spent Tuesday in Brownwood where she was in the house party of a tea announcing the approaching marriage of a friend, Miss Julia Clare Harper, of Brownwood, to Mr. Connie Smith of Albany.

Farmers Report Soy Beans Grow Well

Several Eastland county farmers who have planted soybeans for the first time this year have reported to the county agent that their soybeans are making satisfactory growth.

Circle One Meets With Mrs. Siddall

Circle One of the First Presbyterian auxiliary met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. L. Y. Siddall, Mrs. J. E. Moriarty, chairman, presiding.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. J. E. Moriarty, A. E. Jamison, W. F. Watson, John Walker, S. E. Hittson, H. H. Monk, C. H. Fee, Joe Clements and the hostess, Mrs. Siddall.

Mrs. Moore Is Group Hostess

Mrs. Rex Moore was hostess to Group Three of the First Christian Women's council when it met in her home Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Refreshments were then served to Mmes. Roy Fonville, W. C. Hogue, Edward Lee, James Latimer, V. E. McCharen, L. C. Moore, John Stiles, Jack Elkins and the hostess, Mrs. Rex Moore.

Couple Honored By Theatre Party

The Grammar school faculty entertained recently with a theatre party honoring Mr. and Mrs. John Leveridge, recently wed.

After the show, the guests returned to the home of Principal and Mrs. Carlos Turner for refreshments.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Leveridge, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Campbell, Mrs. G. Pollard, Mrs. Ora Kirklen, Miss Leila Latch and Miss Olga Fay Ford.

Accent on Youth



A youthful summer dress of wrinkle-proof sun rayon has widely spaced floral designs on a soft green background.

An Eye For a Gal---

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What's the idea of all that, anyway?

"I aim to get me an education or bust."

"An iddication! And what'll you do after you get one, in case you don't bust first?"

"Well, one thing certain, I won't marry you then, Steve!"

"Yes, and another thing certain if you got wit enough to get a college education, which I doubt, I wouldn't have you on a Christmas tree. Me, my wife's got to be ignorant."

"It would take that kind to be fool enough to marry you!"

The two passed, while Bossy withdrew in the bushes, watching. So, after all, Hannah had been going to see Cousin Steve. It must have been important. The hunger for murder had gone out of him.

But he did have to get back to Lincoln as quickly as possible and see if he could get a lawyer to tend to this land matter. It was not clear in his mind what would have to be done. But Steve could not have the land. Steve could have Hannah, but nothing else.

"Killing him won't help, either," Rossy thought, and went on to his home.

A LONG time before day on Monday morning he was up, had breakfast by lamplight, and rode through an icy down down the valley. The week-end had cheered him. He wanted to get back to college.

Yet, when he finally reached the bus station on the main highway, he found Hannah there, too.

"Hello, Hannah," he grunted. "The girl smiled. 'Reckon me and you have to put up with each other all the way down! Well, it gives me as big a pain as you!'"

"It couldn't," Rossy said gloomily. "I'm a mind to slap your ears back for that crack!"

"Better get busy, there's the bus."

It was their misfortune to have to take the last two empty seats, and all the way down to Lincoln campus they sparred and chewed the rag, always just ready to take a slash at each other's throats.

That trip wore Rossy to the bone. He was never so glad of anything in his life as when the town loomed up, and he saw the bus station at the corner of the campus, and felt the bus slow for the stop.

"I'll take your grip," he said to the girl, with a gesture of chivalry.

She sneered. "You wouldn't be caught even seeming to know who I am, would ye? I'll have you know I can tote my own grip. And now," she added, waiting for him to pass and kicking his shins as he descended, "you'll get to see your dear love-dovie Judy! Well, hope you'll have lots of fun. But I've got a thing or two to tell you yet, Rossy McAfee, and you'll burn when you hear it, too!"

Coach Hurd stepped up to meet Rossy. He nodded and grinned at Hannah. He took Rossy aside. "I've got to see you right away."

Softball---

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were made. More errors were made by both clubs than usual, due to the strain. The game was close all the way and the players hit the ball hard on both sides, probably causing the errors.

Wilkins and Rylee led the hitting for Conoco with three smashes, followed closely by Johnson with two.

Little Donald Allen and King got two safeties for Putnam. Chris Sunderman pitched for Putnam, while Bivins and Shirley Wilson hurled for Conoco.

A swell game well played. Tonight Red Front meets Scranton in what is to be another thriller. Scranton has just been waiting to hop on those kids. Tonight is the night. You had better see it.

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TEAM STANDINGS

Table with columns: Team, W, L, T, Pct. Rows: Conoco, Putnam.

LEADING HITTERS

Table with columns: Player, Team, G, AB, H, A, E. Rows: Wilkins, Rylee, Johnson, Sunderman, Allen.

McAfee. Something's come up---

something mighty important that can mean the biggest thing in your life. Come on over to the gym and I'll tell you all about it."

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Perrin Finds---

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izens for odd jobs in and around town.

The taxes paid by the railroad were not large, but of the amount, \$382 went toward the schools.

This was an important item in meeting the expenses of education in Independent District No. 2, comprising Jack, Palo Pinto and Parker counties.

"The loss to Perrin of its railroad means more than the loss of taxes," asserted John Sharp, local superintendent of schools.

"When the railroad stopped, business stopped. Our experience should be a lesson to more fortunate communities that still have time to save their railroads."

Lacking a railroad to serve their community Perrin merchants have thus far managed to stay in business through the operation of an improvised truck service, a setup which has proved rather bothersome, local shippers and receivers of freight freely assert.

Highway transportation fills the gap on the lighter goods, but when the heavier shipments are to move, it can't take the place of the old G. T. & W., nor is the service so dependable, local citizens say.

Now that there isn't any railroad service citizens must pay 45 cents to go to Mineral Wells, whereas formerly they made the trip for 27 cents.

"I tried to get my business friends to patronize the railroad more freely, but they wouldn't listen to me and now the inevitable has happened," J. S. Boydston, for 14 years a section foreman on the G. T. & W., declared.

"Something in the way of a miracle will now have to happen to keep our little community from becoming a 'ghost town.'"

Specs---

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is still elementary and on a relief basis, but the need which it is meeting will ultimately find answer in the provision of elementary and secondary training of the character in public schools and colleges.

It is quite likely that this training will be afforded in local schools publically supported, forming adjuncts to such institutions as the Cisco junior college to be established this fall, other local colleges of the sort, as well as high schools and regional institutions of higher learning.

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AUSTIN, June 12 (Sp.)—A building to house an NYA machine shop is nearing completion at Fort Worth, according to J. C. Kollan, state NYA administrator. Such shops are already in operation at Luba Dam, Ranger, Marshall, Dallas, San Marcos and Canyon.

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